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SUBJECT: TFLE01: CYPRUS SITREP 31 AS OF 1700 LOCAL, MONDAY,  
AUGUST 7, 2006

REF: NICOSIA 1302 AND PREVIOUS

Classified By: DCM JANE B. ZIMMERMAN; REASONS 1.4 (B) AND (D)

11. (C) Summary: The Beirut Air Bridge (BAB) continues to transport U.S.-assisted arrivals to Cyprus from Lebanon. Post has returned to mostly normal operations.

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12. (C) The current total headcount of U.S.-assisted arrivals from Lebanon is 13,599. CONS is grateful for the CONS and DHS TDY support it has received in working through its backlog of cases.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

13. (U) Denied and/or pending parole cases received some press coverage over the weekend.

MANAGMENT

14. (U) GSO continues to work on identifying and returning baggage left behind by U.S.-assisted arrivals at the Cyprus International Fairgrounds.

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15. (U) USAID reports a congestion of NGO workers looking for transport to Lebanon from the Larnaca seaport.

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